Half a dozen lines of tpye may be the link between you and something you

BROWN ADMITTED HIS PARENTAGE

Formal Document Declaring He is Father of Bradley Children.

ATTY. HOOVER GOES EAST.

Takes With Him All Evidence to Be Used in Defense of Former Senator's Slayer.

Will to be Contested Although no Immediate Action Will be Taken In the Matter.

The search after evidence to be used in the defense of Mrs. Anna M. Bradley at Washington, D. C., has been concluded in this city, and this afternoon Atty. George P. Hoover left for the national capital where he will began at once working up the case for hearing as soon as possible.

Mr. Hoover takes back with him an important legal document which signed by former Senator Brown and which is in contradiction to the terms of his will. In this document Senator Brown makes formal acknowledgment that he is the father of the two Bradley children whose parentage is ascribed to him, and this it is thought will offset the denial of such parentage made in the will cutting them off.

JUDGE POWERS' OBSERVATION. "Mr. Brown was a peculiar man," said Judge Powers in commenting on this document, "and I suppose he made out this acknowledgment of parentage some time when he was feeling good towards Mrs. Bradley, and before he had made up his mind not to marry her."

HOOVER'S WORK HERE. Mr. Hoover arrived in Salt Lake Wednesday and has been engaged since that time in gathering evidence.

since that time in gathering evidence. He has talked with the relatives and friends of Mrs. Bradley, and with others who might have some knowledge of material on which to build up Mrs. Bradley's defense.

"The fact that Mr. Hoover has formal acknowledgment of the parentage of her two chilidren," said Judge Powers, "will not create sentiment in favor of Arthur Brown, whose will cutting them off has not been favorably received, either here or in Washington.

LINE OF DEFENSE.

When asked as to the lines the de-fense will probably follow, Judge Powers said this was a question on which nothing could be given out. He declared that the will of Senator Brown would be contested, but that no immediate action would be taken, as a year is allowed in which to file a protest. The confession of parents. a protest. The confession of parentage will be used in the local case as well as in the case in Washington. asked as to where it was secured, Judge Powers said that it had reposed in a safe in the office of a Salt Lake attorney since it was made out by Senator Brown, and that it was deposited there by Mrs. Bradley. He said that it was a formal acknowledgment.

ON HIS LETTERHEAD.

The confession is written on the stationery of Arthur Brown, and is dated in 1995. It names Arthur Brown Bradley and Mark Montgomery Brown specifically. specifically and declares that "these are my children by Anna M. Bradley." BROWN'S WILL.

The will of the late Senator Arthur Brown, who was killed in Washington, D. C., by Mrs. Anna M. Bradley, was admitted to probate today by Judge Armstrong, and Max Brown, son of the testator was apredict. Armstrong, and Max Brown, son of the testator, was appointed executor as provided in the will. His bond was fixed by the court at \$130,000. The will was admitted without protest from any person whatever. Just what action will be son whatever. Just what action will be taken by Judge Powers to contest the will in behalf of the two children of Mrs. Bradley is not known at this time, but it is expected that some action will be taken by the content of the conte tion will be taken before very long.

DEATH OF THOMAS ASH.

Veteran of the Twenty-first Ward Passes to His Reward.

Thomas Ash, a much respected resilent of the Twenty-first ward, died at his home last night, from general debil-ity. The deceased had been a member of the Church since 1845, and a resident of Utah since 1886. In 1992 he went on a mission to England, and for a time pre-sided over the Birmingham conference. He was a stanch and able defender of his faith and a man who was known to be upright in all these

CHICAGO INVESTOR HERE.

W. R. Webster Looking Over the City Takes Fall Out of Muddy Streets.

W. R. Webster of Chicago is at the nyon. Mr. Webster, accompanied by his fe, is making his first trip through this tion of the western country. "This is first time I have been in Salt Lake." If Mr. Webster this morning. "I have mover the city and from the little I ave mover the city and from the little I ave mover the city and from the little I ave mover the city and from the little I ave mover the city and from the little I ave green by sursed I walked quite a distance up South a defence district as I have ever seen in city. You have the making of a great I have early there and from what I have read, and and seen, I am certain Salt Lake I double its population within the next Y years. I represent a syndicate of the strength of the city for the property and I am making a trip study. I will go from Salt Lake to Angeles and return, spending probafive months west. Salt Lake looks d to me. One thing I noticed, in another months west, Salt Lake looks d to me. One thing I noticed, in another light yesterday, I owever. That was miscrable condition of your streets in very heart of the city's business district the senges were flooded with a mixture of ter and mud. I cut my trip short on a account but when I am here again the property of the city's business district the senges were flooded with a mixture of ter and mud. I cut my trip short on a account but when I am here again when I am here again we well taken farming states are well taken leaving little for development. Utah other western states are now occupy, the agrention of eastern farm investment of the city's being thorthy interested in Utah. Kenyon. Mr. Webster, accompanied by his



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GEORGE P. HOOVER,

The Washington Attorney Who Has Been Here Gathering Evidence for Use In Defense of Mrs. Bradley.

ent an assistant in the office, as first

assistant county attlorney, and David M. Haigh as secand assistant. Miss Ethel Woodmansee will be retained as stenographer in the office.

COUNTY TREASURER.

County Treasurer-elect J. A. Groes-beck, Jr., says that the boys in his office know their business and he does not see any reason for making any changes. As yet he is not determined up.

As yet he is not determined upon a man to take his place in the office which is vacant by his election to the head of the office.

BASSETT AND VIGUS.

Frank Higinbotham, county auditor-elect, has decided to appoint Fred C. Bassett and Roscoe Vigus as his depu-ties. Both men are at present employed in the office.

PERFECTLY SATISFIED.

County Assessor Campbell Brown, who was also one of the lucky ones to be re-elected, has no changes to make in his office either, as all have been in the office for some time and are well acquainted with its workings.

VACANCY FOR ONE.

So far there is only one place to fill in the office of County Recorder Perkins, who will succeed himself. One of the young ladies in the office recently determined to get married and quit the political field, hence Mr. Perkins will have to find some one to take her place. As yet he has not decided who it will be. The other employes in the office will remain the same as in the past two years.

AFTER BIGGER PAY.

County Surveyor Swenson, the man that succeeds himself by election on two tickets, announces that there will

two tickets, announces that there will be no changes in his office force, except that he will try and induce the new commissioners to increase the pay for his field men so that he can secure and keep the services of competent men in that work. At present all of his field men have quit him on account of the uncertainty of the work and the poor pay and he wants to overcome that matter if possible.

The new board of county commis-

The new board of county commissioners will meet at noon Monday and organize and the county officials will take charge of their offices at that time.

SPANISH CIVIL GUARDS.

They Are to be Provided With a Hu-

mane Riot Rifle.

Madrid, Jan. 5 .- It has been decided

by the government to provide the civil guards with a humane riot rifle for use in quelling disorders. The weapon will only kill at short fange and is expected

to lessen the chances of injury to other

in food values, continues at several

CUBAN FINANCES.

On Dec. 31 Was on Hand \$14,117,000,

\$884,963 Being Unappropriated.

Havana, Jan. 5.—The government's financial statement shows that on Dec. 31 Cuba had on hand \$14,117,000 in cash, of which \$884,963 had not been appropriated. The revenue for the last six months was \$12,472,000.

The trouble caused by the raising of

than rioters.

points.

POLITICAL TREE SHEDS PLUMS

On Monday the Recently Elected **County Officials Come Into** Their Own.

WILL BE BUT FEW CHANGES.

Biggest Scramble, However, Centers Around the Appointment for Janitor at the County Building.

On Monday at noon the new officers elected at the recent county election take charge of their offices and the question which is foremost in the minds of those around the city and county building and a few applicants for apbuilding and a few applicants for appointment outside of the building is, who will land appointments under the new administration. In several of the offices there will be no changes at all as several of the officials succeed themselves and find no occasion for making changes in their clerical force. In fact, the new officials are not contemplating any radical changes in that respect, as most of the employes are well qualified for the positions they hold and have rendered good service hold and have rendered good service to the party which placed them in of-fice.

COUNTY PHYSICIAN,

Some changes are looked for among the appointive offices, for some of which there are a number of applicants and aspirants. For county physician there are several applicants on file there are several applicants on file with the commissioners. County Physician E. W. Whitney is seeking a reappointment and has a strong following in his favor. He has served two years, and his record is relied upon to land him a second term. Dr. T. G. Odell of Murray, who was assistant county physician two years ago, is also an applicant for the place. There are two other applicants whose names were not given out by those who have the applications in hand.

COTTLE VS. SABINE.

For superintendent of the county in-For superintendent of the county in-firmary there are two applicants, name-ly, James Sabine, the present super-intendent, and Joe Cottle. It is re-ported that Cottle has the best of the race, as he has the new commissioners back of him. However, Commissioner Mackey, who is a holdover, is trying Mackey, who is a holdover, is trying his best to secure the reappointment of Sabine.

FOUR WANT JANITORSHIP. There are four applicants after the appointment of custodian of the county side of the joint building. C. V. Anderson, the present incumbent, has a strong backing for reappointment. The others who would like very much to induce the new board of commissioners to appoint them are E. C. Evans, at present a janitor on the county side, W. P. Appleby and C. F. Palmquist.

SORENSON SAFE.

So far there has been no other as-pirant for the appointment of county horticultural inspector and hence it is very probable that John P. Sorenson, the present inspector, will be re-

appointed. NEW COUNTY BOARD.

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Outside of the names above presented the new board of commissioners which will take charge of the county's affairs on Monday will have very little to worry about. The new board will be composed of the following members: John C. Mackay, holdover, John B. Cosgriff and J. E. Clinton. Mr. Mackay, being the old member of the board, will, no doubt, be chosen as chairman. Of the retiring members, E. D. Miller will go to Goldfield, Nev., for a short time to look after his mining interests there, and W. W. Wilson will enter upon his duties as cashler of the new bank at Sandy, his home city.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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Sheriff Emery, who succeeds himself, states that he is not ready at this time to announce what changes will be made in the personnel of his staff. It is known, however, that at least three changes will be made in his office in the

NO CHANGES.

County Clerk J. U. Eldredge, Jr., who County Clerk J. U. Eldredge, Jr., who also is his own successor, does not contemplate any changes at all. He has already promoted Miss Lillian James to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mrs. Helena Mackintosh which was effective on Jan 1 and has appointed G. A. Gibbs as a deputy to succeed Will Dunn, who resigned on the first of the month to enter the law practise.

COUNTY ATTORNEYS.

County Attorney-elect Willard Han-son will appoint Job P. Ly pres-

GIRL OPERATOR PREVENTS WRECK

Called a Farmer by Telephone.

Explained Situation, Told Him to Get Lantern, Put Red Cloth Around It and Flag Train.

Hutchinson, Kas., Jan. 2 .-- Nora Breckenridge, night telegraph operator at Arlington near here, prevented a wreck of two Rock Island freight trains on Thursday night. Through a confusion of orders a westbound freight cleared from Arlington just as an eastbound freight left Turon, two stations west. A moment later Miss Breckenridge was ordered to hold the westbound train. Langdon stathe westbound train. Langdon station, which was between the two trains, is not a night telegraph office. After Miss Breckenridge had tried in vain to reach Langdon she resorted to the telephone and located John Spence, a farmer who lived near the railroad track. She told Spence the situation, and begged him to get a lantern, wrap it with a red cloth and hurry to the track. He did so and arrived in time to flag the westbound train, with the second train only half a mile away.

THAW'S TRIAL.

Prosecution's End Will be Short, About Five Witnesses Being Called.

New York, Jan. 5 .- According to

New York, Jan. 5.—According to an announcement made today it is practically settled in the district attorney's office tust what will be done by the prose-cution in presenting its case against Harry K. Thaw for the murder of Stanford White on the Madison Square roof garden.

From the prosecution's standpoint the trial will be a short one. About five witnesses will be examined in presenting the direct cause. These witnesses will tell of the shooting and the events that happened on the Madison Square roof garden. It should not take more than a few hours, it is said, for the prosecution to put in its entire direct case. It will be a simple story of the killing, showing that White was shot at a table while watching the performance, without any chance of defending himself. The idea is to have the defense explain the killing. There have been many stories printed giving conjectures as to what the defense will be but Thaw's counsel have made no statement regarding this point.

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Unless there is a change in the present plans the crucial part of the trial will come in the rebuttal. For that preparations have been made by the district attorney's office. Asst. Dist. Atty. Garvan who has had charge of the Thaw case, has left nothing undone to run down every story and rumor, no matter how improbable it appeared on its face. As a result there has been accumulation of evidence which may surprise the defense. Dist. Atty. Jerome will have charge of the trial assisted by Mr. Garvan.

JAPANESE ARE UGLY.

Assault Man With a Shovel and Then Resist Arrest.

Porterville, Cal., Jan. 4.—A crowd of Japanese laborers working on the tracks of the Southern Pacific company, near this city assaulted Roy V pany, near this city assaulted Roy V. Clark today, striking him over the head with a shovel and attacking him with sticks and clubs. Clark escaped by running and came to this city to notify the local officers and swear out warrants for the arrest of the Japanese, 40 in number. An attempt to arrest the Japanese was met with resistance. A messenger was sent asking for assistance and a large number of special officers were rushed to the special officers were rushed to scene, After considerable difficulty Japanese were arrested, taken to Vi lia and placed in the county jail, It was not considered safe to keep them in the Porterville jail on account

of local feeling.

During the fracas the Japanese are During the fracas the Japanese are reported to have raised the Japanese flag. Great electement prevailed in this city for a time. Because of the bad feeling existing further trouble is feared. There is a large number of Japanese working on the railroad in this vicinity.

Clark, who was attacked by the Japanese is not seriously hurt. He was somewhat bruised and received a bad cut on his hand. The trouble had its origin in the strong feeling grow-

its origin in the strong feeling growing out of the San Francisco school trouble and the anti-Japanese sentiment in the community.

Story of Distress Causes Regret in Salt Lake.

L. M. Sullivan Trust Company of Goldfield Financially Embarrassed and Drafts Under

NEW DANGER FROM ORIENT

No Night Office at Station so She | It is Reduction of Christian Countries to State of Vassalage To Eastern Peoples.

Declares Christianity Has Ever Been Simply a Pretext for the Church.

Paris, Jan. 5 .- Count Leo Tolstoi has written a letter to Paul Sabatier, apropos of the latter's recent book on the disestablishment of the church in France in which the famous Russian author predicts the possible reduction of all the Christian countries of the west to a state of vassalage to the Japanese and oriental peoples. He bases his prediction upon the ground that it is only in the orient that religion and patriotism are synonymous. In this letter Count Tolstoi displays his old-time vigor of style and clearness of ideas. He says in part:

"Religion is truth and goodness, the hurch falsehood and evil. I tell you frankly I cannot agree with those who believe the church is an organization indispensable for religion. The church has ever been a cruel and lying institution which in seeking for temporal advantages has perverted and distorted the true Christian doctrine. All the concordats have been for it nothing but compacts with the state whereby the church supported the state in return for specific material advantages. Christianity has ever been simply a pretext for the church. I may be told that there have been and still are in the Catholic world men and women of holy life, but I answer that these sainted lives are not due to the church but rather in spite of the church. "In spite of all the efforts of church and state to unite the two principles, true Christianity (love, humanity and kindness) and that of the state (physical force and violence), the contradiction has become in our time so flagrant that a solution is bound to come. "Several symptoms prove this. First, the religious movement is not confined." has ever been a cruel and lying institu-

"Several symptoms prove this. First, the religious movement is not confined to France, but exists in all Christian countries. to France, but exists in all Christian countries: second, the revolution in Russia: third, the extraordinary military and industrial progress which is manifesting itself in the orient, in Chlna and especially in Japan. The present religious movement which is going on not only in Catholic countries, but in the whole world, is, I believe, nothing but the unrest accompanying the exit from the dilemma."

JEWISH TERRITORIAL ORGANIZATION PLANS.

New York, Jan. 5.—Cyrus L. Sulz-berger, chairman of the American council of the Jewish territorial organcouncil of the Jewish territorial organization gave some details yesterday of the project of that organization to divert the tide of immigration caused by the persecutions in Russia from New York to Texas. The plan was first announced in London a few days ago at a meeting of the British federation of the Jewish organization. Israel Zangthe Jewish organization. Israel Zang-will said at that time that the British federation had created a department for the regulation of emigration, the treasurer of which was Leopold Dorothschild. Mr. Sulzberger, who is to be in charge of the American part of the scheme, said yesterday that it had been thought that too large a portion of the thought that too large a portion of the Jewish immigrants to this country re-mained in New York, which they found difficult to leave later on. If the great difficult to leave later on. If the great bulk could be brought to Galveston, whence the trunk lines could distribute them throughout the west among towns which needed workmen, the growing congestion would be relieved. Mr. Sulz-berger said that it was not purposed to pay any steamer passages. The man-agers of the scheme in Europe would originate ways of reaching intending immigrants and influencing them to go to Galveston. Men would be employed by the managers on this side of th Atlantic to collect information about labor needs in the west and northwest. The immigrants arriving in Galveston would be classed, he said, and upon the information gathered as to labor needs, which would be available at the Galveston office, efforts would be made to distribute the immigrants to places acdistribute the immigrants to places according to these needs. He confirmed a report that Jacob H. Schiff has given the organization to understand that it may draw upon him to the amount of \$500,000.

KING OSCAR IMPROVES. Stockholm, Jan. 5.—King Oscar continues to gain strength. He was able to sit up for longer periods during the past two days and sleeps well at night.

A BOMB OUTRAGE IN PHILADELPHIA

Thrower Demanded Money of Life Boats and Rafts, Partly Pro-Bank President: Was Refused, Then Hurled Missile.

NAME IS NORA BRECKENRIDGE COUNT TOLSTOI FORSEES IT. HE HIMSELF TORN TO PIECES.

Assistant Cashier Killed, Several Employes and Patrons Injured, Some Of Whom May Die.

Philadelphia, Jan. 5.-Shortly before noon today an unknown man hurled ; bomb into the Fourth Street National bank at Fourth and Liberty streets. The resulting explosion tore the bomb thrower to pieces and killed W. Z. McClear, the assistant cashier. Several other employes of the bank and

patrons were injured.

Two of those hurt may die. The bomb thrower had demanded money from the president, Richard H. Rushton. When this was refused he took the missile. ton. When this was refused he took the missile from under his coat and hurled it at Mr. Rushton.

A slight fire followed the explosion and tenants in the Bullit bullding, in which the bank is located, fled from their officer.

their offices.

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The police were quickly on hand and they placed the vauits and securities of the institution under a heavy guard. President Rushton, after the explosion, rushed to the eighth floor of the building from the street floor, to the rooms of the Downtown club, a dining organization. He was much excited, trembling like a leaf. He told the following story:

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"A man who gave his name as G. E. Williams, shabbily dressed, giving no place of residence, came into my office and asked me to lend him \$5,000. I was busy looking over some papers on my desk and paid but little attention to what the man said. He sat there looking at me very curiously until I became desk and paid but little attention to what the man said. He sat there looking at me very curiously until I became suspicious that he was a crank and asked him to excuse me for a minute while I went into another office. As I left the man arose and went over to the cashier's window. I noticed him talking to the cashier, but do not know what he told him. The explosion followed next. I did not see the man throw the bomb, but I have every reason to believe that he did throw it. The man was killed, I am given to understand by the police. My cashier, William Z. McLear, was killed outright. The explosion caused great excitement amongst us all. Glass flew from the smashed window and fell in a shower over us and four or five women were among the employes who rushed for the door. I understand that six or seven people were injured, but I do not know how seriously."

Mr. Rushton left the downtown club and returned to the first floor. On his way down in the elevator, accompanied by several officials of the bank, the seriousness of the tragic scene from which he had just escaped overcame him and was unable to say anything more. His friends placed him in a carriage and sent him home.

FORTY WORKMEN BURIED IN RAILWAY CUT.

Bingen, Hesse, Jan. 5.—Forty work-men were buried yesterday evening in the cutting of a new railway line between Lamscheid and Leningen. The dead bodies of 13 of the men and 15 injured workmen have been recovered. An embankment had collapsed, burying two men. To rescue them large parties of other laborers employed along the line were immediately set to work and a wide pit was dug in which were about 50 men, when the overhanging hillside fell, burying 40 of the laborers under masses of earth.

Those who were not buried began to dig out their comrades, while messengers were sent to nearby villages asking for help. Several physicians and a large force of workmen were sent to the scene of the disaster.

The rescue work, which was continued throughout the night, was dangerous owing to the possibility of fresh masses of earth falling on the laborers. Most An embankment had collapsed, bury

owing to the possibility of fresh masses of earth falling on the laborers. Most of the workmen killed were young men. Among the injured are three children. It is probable that there are still 15 bodies beneath the fallen earth.

MEETING OF FRENCH BISHOPS. Paris, Jan. 5.—The meeting of the French bishops, called by Cardinai Richard, will be held beginning Jan. 15.

Two sittings will be held daily.

A chateau belonging to Count
Franqueville, which is spacious and is
surrounded by high walls, has been
chosen as the meeting place.

OIL PRICE ADVANCED.

Pittsburg, Jan. 5.—The Standard Oil company advanced the price of Ragland 5 cents today, making the quota-

TO FORCE SETTLEMENT OF FIREMEN'S STRIKE.

Chicago, Jan. 5.—The combined efforts of three of the big railroad employes brotherhoods were exerted in a midnight conference last night to force a settlement of the fieremen's strike on the Souther. Pacific, which has endangered the whole labor situation on the western roads. The meeting will be continued today.

Grand Chief Hannahan of the Firemen's Brotherhood, who arrived in Chicago yesterday, was on the defensive in the conference. Appeals were addressed by P. H. Morrissey, grand chief of the railroad trainmen, and A. B. Garretson, head of the conductors' order, to call off the Southern Pacific strike and withdraw from the threatening attitude which the firemen within the last few days have assumed toward the seven railroad systems controlled by E. H. Harriman.

Grand Chief Stone, of the Locomotive Engineers, also participated in the conference, but refused to express an opinion. The situation as regards the poesibilit of an extended strike on the railroads is admitted to be serious. About 150,00 employes are negotialing at the present time with the railroad managers for new wage scales, and it is feared that the spreading of the firemen's strike to the other Harriman roads, as threatened by the firemen, may precipitate an immense disturbance.

Mr. Hannahan stated that none of the

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Mr. Hannshan stated that none of the
other Harriman lines will be involved in
the controversy, at least for the present.
He admitted, however, that he had shifted his headquarters from Peoria to Chi.
cago for the purpose of handling a general strike more efficiently should such a
condition develop. The entire executive
beard of the firemen's brotherhood accompanied Mr. Hannahan to Chicago and
have established headquarters at the Lexington hotel.

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Mr. Hannahan declared the situation is
one of the most delicate which has confronted the organized railway employes
of the country in many years, and that if
really constitutes a crisis in the history of
the brotherhoods. A single move on the
part of the firemen to spread the present
strike, he said, is almost certain to involve engineers, trainmen and conductors
all over the west.

CITY OF PANAMA PROBABLY LOST

visioned, Came Ashore at Wardell Beach, Cal.

STEAMER LEFT IN BIG STORM.

Crew Numbered 56; Passengers, 60-Beach Being Patrolled Watching for Bodies.

Officials of Merchants' Exchange, San Francisco, do Not Believe the Vessel is Wrecked.

San Francisco, Jan. 5 .- No further news has as yet been received here bearing on the fate of Pacific Mail liner which sailed from here on Monday last for southern ports. According to the telephone message received in this city from Pasacodero last night two lifeboats came ashore at Wardell beach, 16 miles south of Pescadero yesterday miles south of Pescadero yesterday morning (Jan. 4), at 7 o'clock. There were on the rafts, oars, boat hooks, a barrel of water and a box of crackers.

Later in the day, two more rafts came ashore, two and a half miles below Wardell beach similarly equipped, while off shore a large quantity of wreckage was seen floating. Both of these rafts, it is said, were marked City of Panais said, were marked City of Pana-

It is known that the steamer upon leaving here on Monday in the teeth of a heavy northwest gale had some trouble on the bar, as she was stopped there for a time before proceeding on her way

for a time before processed south.

The City of Panama, one of the oldest vessels on the Paricific Mail fleet, was commanded by Capt. A. W. Nelson, who has the reputation of being an excellent seaman. He was formerly in command of the company's steamer

command of the company's steamer San Jose.

The vessel carried besides the captain, First Officer Pillsbury, formerly chief of the Manchuria, when she went ashore on Rabbit island near Honolulu, two other officers, a freight clerk and storekeeper with a crew of 12, 15 men in the engineer's department and freight in the steward's department.

In all the crew numbered 56. There were 60 passengers on board. Fifteen occupied the first cabin and 15 were in the steerage. The other 26 were Chinese.

in the steerage. The other 26 were Chinese.

Had the City of Panama continued uninterruptedly on her way she would bave been due yesterday at Mazatlan, Mexico, the first port of call.

The Pacific mail boats take the outer course from San Francisco down, generally keeping outside the Santa Barbara channel islands and standing well off shore until they reach the end of the peninsula of Lower California. There they turn in to anchor off the bay of Mazatlan, which is on the mainland shore, almost opposite Cape San Lucas, the extreme lower end of Baja California.

The beach is now being patrolled for miles watching for bodies which may drift ashore.

Advices by Telephone from Pescadero state that a number of people have gone to Waddell beach, where

dero state that a number of people have gone to Waddell beach, where the rafts were discovered on the shore, but no report from them can be re-ceived until this evening, when they return, owing to the absence of tele-phone and telegraph facilities.

DON'T BELIEVE IS WRECKED.

San Francisco, Jan. 5.—The officials of the merchants' exchange here do not believe that the steamer City of Panama has been wrecked. The vessel, which left this port about 2 o'clock p. m. last Monday, was sighted at 5 p. m. of the same date about 16 miles southm. last Monday, was sighted at 5 p. m. of the same date about 16 miles southwest of Point Lobos. A strong northwest of Point Lobos. A strong northwest gale was blowing and she was headed north at the time. It is surmized that she had shipped several heavy seas and had temporarily changed her course to straighten out things on board. Her life rafts, which were always kept partially provisioned, may have been swept away during the gale, and if so, they would have had just about time enough to have drifted to Wardell beach, where they went ashore.

Additional evidence tending to show the probable safety of the City of Pan-ama is furnished by the master of the Standard Oil company's steamer, Maverick, who reports that she passed the City of Panama headed south, off Point Sur in Monterey county, over 100 miles below Point Lobos, at 2 o'clock p. m. on Jan. 1.

on Jan. 1.

The City of Panama is due to arrive at Mazatian tomorrow.

A prominent official of the Pacific Mail Steamship company said today that the owners of the City of Panama

that the owners of the City of Panama were not alarmed by the finding of life rafts of the City of Panama. They might easily have been washed overboard and the fact that the steamer had passed Point Sur indicated that she was well on her way to the Mexican port of Mazatlan. The company confidently expects to hear of her arrival there tomorrow or next day. there tomorrow or next day

COLD BLOODED MURDER SEEMINGLY FOR REVENGE.

Chicago, Jan. 5.-Half stunned by a glancing blow from a black jack, Adolph gled in the blackness of an unlighted barn last night with a desperate nighwayman, grasping, striking, reaching for a weapon, only to succumb maily to the murderous attack. Which test him bleeding to death from 15 different stab wounds about the neck and head. The police department detailed every possible man to the case, summoned every possible winness for a close examination, arrested four men of "hobo" characteristics, who were lottering in the neghborhood but thus rarrhey have failed to find the murderer. The police for several hours were considering in the theory of robbery was the only one fitting the evidence. The theory was dropped because of the finding of in the dead man's pockets and because of the unusual viciousness of the attack. A circumstance that strengthened their belief that there was another motive that that of robbery was the discovery in his trunk of a letter written on New Theater stationary and signed "Rese." The writer chided Johnson for having failed to keep an engagement with the police became convinced that the murder was an act of fealousy on the part of another admirer of Rose. gled in the blackness of an unlighted barn hast night with a desperate highwayman,

MANCHURIAN QUESTION.

Berlin, Jan. 5.—The Frankfurter Zeltung's Tien Tsin correspondent says that China proposes to summon a conference to discuss Manchurian questions. The great powers will be invited to send delegates. The Chino-Japanese treaty will be submitted to the conference.

Protest-Treasurer Grant Says Trouble is Only Temporary and That all Will Be Well Again by Wednesday Next. Sullivan would "make good." Even sets amounting to \$1,000,000.

San Francisco, Jan. 5 .- The Examiner | says that the L. M. Sullivan Trust company of Goldfield is financially embarrassed and that drafts drawn on the company by San Francisco brokers have been protested. Peter Grant,

only temporary. He says: "I admit that we are embarrassed, but it is only temporary. By Wednesday things will be in good shape, and everybody will be satisfied. The protesting of the drafts was all a mistake, and can be easily remedied. There is a rule in our company that no check can be validated except by the signature of two of the officers of the company. .

"Larry Sullivan went to the fight at

treasurer of the company, is in this

city and says the embarrassment is

Tonopah on New Year's day, and we have not heard from him since. When he turns up, we will be able to right a great many matters. Graham Rice has been away for some time. Not being in Goldfield, things have lost their di-

The Sullivan Trust company did a big business in Southern Nevada mining stocks. Through extensive advertising throughout the country various the stock sold. It is stated that in order to stimulate the market the company bought and sold its own securities and has failed to honor a draft drawn by a San Francisco broker who purchased stock for the company.

The financial embarrassment of the L. M. Sullivan Trust company at Goldfield will be read with a great deal of interest and regret in this city, where many thousands of shares in the socalled Sullivan flotations in Nevada and California are owned, and until the affairs of the corporation are straightened out there will no doubt be more or less uneasiness among the holders of these securities.

since the sensational reports were received from the west this morning there are people found who express confidence that the concern will emerge mining enterprises were promoted and | from its present difficulty with honor. Others are not so sure about it and express the belief that the end has come to the spectacular flotation of mining stocks in all the west and that after it is all over, the result will be to benefit legitimate mining enterprises. It was learned early in the forenoon

that the local brokerage firm of James A. Pollock & Company, with whom the Sullivan company transacted a great deal of business in the past, would be a heavy loser as a consequence of the closing of the doors of the Sullivan offices at Goldfield. Edwin G. Woolley, one of the mem-

bers of the Pollock company, when seen, made the statement that the first intimation that he had of the Sullivan trouble came in the form of a message suffering from brain fever, due to overwork. I am here to watch him and take care of him. Everything will be all right by Wednesday. Expert accountants have been at work at our to today have been emphatic in making the declaration that there was nothing the declaration that there was nothing to the rumors in circulation and that the same up to experience.